

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Lars Tommy Westbye
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Title : Systems and Methods for Automatic Medical Injection with
Safeguard
Group Art Unit : 3767
Examiner : Catherine N. Witczak
Docket No. : 706737.4003
Customer No. : 34313

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ELECTION AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Election

In response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2008, Applicant hereby elects to prosecute, without traverse, Claims 1 through 24 drawn to a medical injection system comprising a cartridge housing, shield, drive system, and activation system, classified in class 604 subclass 192. Applicant believes that Claims 1 through 24 read upon the elected specie.

An action on the merits with regard to the elected claims is respectfully requested.